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**OLR Bill Analysis****HB 5098*****AN ACT CONCERNING THE TERMINATION OF "ROBO" CALLS.*****SUMMARY:**

This bill increases the maximum fine, from \$500 to \$1,000, for anyone who transmits unsolicited business, commercial, or advertising messages to in-state customers through recorded telephone message devices that do not disconnect immediately when the consumer hangs up. These messages are often referred to as "robocalls."

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 1, 2014

**COMMITTEE ACTION**

General Law Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 17      Nay 0      (03/13/2014)